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In re Application of:  
Chhor et al.

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For: MOLDED MEMORY MODULE AND  
METHOD OF MAKING THE MODULE  
ABSENT A SUBSTRATE SUPPORT

Group Art Unit: 2876  
Examiner: Jared Fureman

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**AMENDMENT; RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 6, 2003**

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of October 6, 2003. The undersigned wishes to thank Examiner Fureman for the courtesies extended during a telephone interview on December 3, 2003. In that interview, various form objections were discussed as well as the appropriateness of amendments considered to alleviate those form issues. In addition, the interview dealt with certain substantive issues. Specifically, the patentability of pending independent claims 1, 15, and 21 was discussed in light of the §§ 102 and 103 rejections.

The undersigned described both the primary and secondary references to Iwasaki (U.S. Patent Nos. 6,274,926 and 6,085,412) as failing to describe (i) the claimed conductors having a lateral surface that partially extends along a first outer planar surface and that terminate in a single row flush with a second outer planar surface perpendicular to the first outer planar surface; and (ii) a conductor that extends along two planes with one plane co-planar to first portion.

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In light of the interview discussion and this paper, Applicants believe this case should be passed to allowance. However, before doing so, Applicants request that the case be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.